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Allegiance's

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PINECLAN

LEADER:
Rainstar (Tom, Dark brown with rain spots covered light brown on his pelt; Amber eyes)

DEPUTY:
Stormtail (Tom, greyish blue and darker grey rings up to the tip of tail; dark blue eyes)

MEDICINE CAT:
Hazelwing (Light brown with white chest, stomach, and paws; light green eyes)

WARRIORS:
Lionfang (Tom, Golden pelt; Amber eyes)
Spottedleap (She-cat, light orange pelt, brown spots, right white paw; emerald green eyes)
Firetail (Tom, white pelt and redish orange tail and paws; Amber eyes) [App. ***Fernpaw***]
Owlfur (Tom, brown with white spots all over; Amber eyes) (App. ***Thornpaw***)
Sandstone (She-cat, sandy pelt, dark stripe running down from muzzle to tail tip; green eyes)
Wolfpelt (Tom, grey pelt with black stripes; blue eyes) (App. ***Mistypaw***)
Flamestripe (Tom, light orange pelt, red stripes, left white eye patch; blue eyes)

APPRENTICES:
Thornpaw (Tom, light grey fur, golden streaks on shoulders, dark grey stripe on back; Dark blue eyes)
Fernpaw (Tom, White pelt, silver patches on pelt and black tail tip; blue eyes)

Mistypaw (She-cat, Maroon pelt, white legs and paws and faded dark blue eyes)

QUEENS:
Shadowwing (She-cat, solid black with grey chest and stomach; green eyes) [Mates with ***Lionfang***] [Kits: ***Blazekit and Lightkit]***
Dappleheart (She-cat, light brown pelt, white spots; green eyes) [Mates with ***Flamestripes***]

KITS:
Blazekit (Tom, Orange pelt and white chest, light green eyes) [***Shadowwing's*** kit]
Lightkit (She-kit, light grey pelt; Amber eyes) [***Shadowwing's*** kit]

ELDERS:
Mousefur (She-cat, Dark brown; Amber eyes)

SKYCLAN

LEADER:
Icestar (She-cat, bluish grey pelt and left white paw; light blue eyes)

DEPUTY:
Thornclaw (Tom, brown pelt and white ear tips; Amber eyes)

MEDICINE-CAT:
Jaywing (Tom, white pelt with greyish blue ears, tail and paws; blue eyes)

WARRIORS:
Dawnfire (She-cat, light redish orange pelt, Darker redish orange stripe on back, and white paws and tail tip; dark green eyes)
Snowfur (She-cat, fluffy white pelt; Bright blue eyes)
Brackenclaw (Tom, yellowish orange pelt, white chest and stomach; Amber eyes)
Fallenoak (Tom, long-furred brown tabby, yellow eyes)
Peachfuzz (She-cat, light brown/golden pelt; light green eyes)

APPRENTICES:
Kinkpaw (Tom, Dark grey pelt; Gold eye's)

Maplepaw (She-cat, Totoiseshell; Hazel eye's)

QUEENS:
Meadowpelt (She-cat, dark brown pelt, white muzzle, paws, and tail tip; Green Eyes) (Mate: ***Brackenclaw***)

KITS:
Briarkit (Tom, sandy brown tabby pelt, darker brown stripes and white chest; Green eyes) [***Meadowpelt's*** kit]
Oakkit (Tom, dark brown pelt, orange spots; Amber eye's) [***Meadowpelt's*** kit)

ELDERS
Longwhisker (Tom, yellow tabby, black paws; gold eye's)

LIGHTINGCLAN

LEADER:
Hailstar (Tom, Black and white, Hazel eyes)

DEPUTY:
Suntail (Tom, pale yellow pelt and white chest; Amber eyes)

MEDICINE CAT:
Moonspirit (She-cat, blue pelt, and white swirls; Crystal blue eyes)

WARRIORS:
Duststorm (Tom, black and brown pelt; Gold eyes)
Ravenheart (She-cat, solid black with a white strip from muzzle to tail tip; Hazel eyes)
Thistleclaw (Tom, dark brown and white paws; Green eyes)
Fishtail (Tom, blueish grey pelt; blue eyes) [App. ***Minopaw***]

APPRENTICES:
Minopaw (Tom, Silver with snow white paws; blue eyes)

QUEENS:
Cloudwing (She-cat, solid white with grey ear tips; bright blue eyes) [Mate: ***Duststorm***] [Kits:]
Hazelflight (She-cat, Orange with black paws, green eyes) [Mate: ***Fishtai***l] [Kits: ***Sunkit*** and ***Pepplekit***]

KITS:
Sunkit (Tom, yellow pelt with black ears and tail tip; amber eyes) [***Hazelflight's ki***t]
Pepplekit (She-kit, dark grey pelt with lighter grey spots, one left white paw; ocean blue eyes) [***Hazelflight's*** kit]
Mudkit (Tom, solid white with jet black paws; gold eyes) [***Cloudwing's*** kit]
Nightkit (She-kit, jet black pelt, white chest, ear tips, and right paw; dark blue eyes) [***Cloudwing's*** kit]

ELDERS:
Sharpfang (Tom, jet black pelt with a white patch on right shoulder; Amber eye's)

SHADECLAN

LEADER:
Breezestar (She-cat, solid white with three black spots under both eyes; aqua blue eyes)

Prologue

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There was a large figure in the brush, it had amber eyes, that burns through my light orange pelt with brown spots. I just stared through those dark cold eyes.

"*Spottedleap, what a surprise to meet you here*" the large figure said in soft deep low voice. The large figure stepped out of his hiding place and revealed who he was.
His red, blood like pelt glowed sickly in the moonlight. "*Bloodfang!"* I said shocked.
"*Oh, so you do remember me, I would of thought you had forgotten."* He said softly with a small grin on his face. Bloodfang just stared right into my eyes. He saw the fear in them.
He slowly started towards me, I growled softly and slowly walked backwards trying to keep a good distance. His grin got bigger then said in a low soft steady voice "*You will follow and become one of us, no matter how you try to deny it!"*

After that was said he disappeared...

Chapter 1- First Morning of Leafbare

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All my den mates were all stirring around me in the bitter cold. My friend Sandstone silently creeped over to my side and pawed at me in the side very roughly.

I slightly opened my eyes and flicked her with my tail letting her know I'm awake.
Sandstone just giggled and kept on poking roughly on my side.

I jumped up quickly to face her then pinned her down. We rolled out of the Warriors den, getting snow all over our pelts, play fighting to see who's the best, until one of the seinor warriors came up to us and said in a deep loud voice *"what are you two doing???"*

Sandstone and I froze and looked up slowly to whom said that. It was Wolfpelt, a tall grey handsome tom.
"Well???" He said firmly.

Sandstone spoke up in a quiet voice *"We were umm...."* She flicked my back with her tail then whispers *"help me out here Spottedleap."* I looked at Sandstone then back at Wolfpelt. *"We were just playing around."* I said confidently.

He just stared at us for a second then said "I know you two just became Warriors and this is you first day, but act like a warrior NOT a kit." He stood there for a second longer then padded away over to Firetail, a white tom with a redish orange tail and paws.

Sandstone and I looked at each other then started giggling. We both padded over to the fresh kill pile with very little prey in it.
"Sandstone! Spottedleap!" Someone said loud but very steady.

We both spun around to see who was calling us. It was Rainstar, our leader of Pineclan, he came padding over to us with the deputy Stormtail, a greyish blue Tom, right behind him.

When they had reached us, Rainstar had stood up firmly and said in a good stern voice *" Will you two.."* He started, pointing at us with his tail *"...go on a hunting* patro*l with Owlfur and his apprentice*

Thornpaw?"

We stared at him for a second, then both replied in union *"Yes Rainstar."* Then bowed our heads in respect. *"Good, because we are running low on fresh kill, and everyone knows how it is during Leafbare. So we need as much fresh kill as we can get."* He then said *"Go now, Owlfur and Thornpaw are waiting for you at the entrance."* At that, Rainstar padded away to a group of cats, to gather up some border patrols.

Sandstone and I raced to the entrance where Owlfur and Thornpaw had been waiting for awhile. *"About time you two show up, let's get a move on, it's not like the prey is going to come to us."* Owlfur had said and instructed with a flick of his tail, we left into the piney woods.

I crept up behind some skinney pine trees in the snow. -not well camouflaged because of my pelt, but thanking Starclan I'm downwind- Slowly moving closer to a huge plump white rabbit. Staying close to the ground, getting into perfect hunting position, smoothly not touching the cold snow with my belly. My bright green eyes glowing.

I stopped and sat just a little longer in silence. Then I jumped into the air, missing the rabbit by a paw length. I gave chase, running as fast as my paws will let me. The white rabbit zig zag through the piney woods with me on its heels. Finally as I got just in distance, I leaped into the air, landed on the rabbit and with a good swift bite on the neck, it was dead.

I grabbed the huge plumped rabbit by the scruff and carried it to a safe place then buried it. I caught a few more, -a scrawny mouse and two squirrels- then headed back to our meeting place. When I arrived, they were already there waiting on me. Owlfur caught a squirrel, two scrawny mice, and a juicy vole. Thornpaw caught two squirrels and a mouse.
Sandstone caught three grey mice, a vole, and a squirrel. When Owlfur saw what I had caught he nodded at me, and was pleased.

We all headed back to camp to set down the prey into the fresh kill pile for the clan. Blazekit came stumbling over towards me with excitement in his eyes. *"Wow! That's a huge rabbit!"* He squeaked while jumping up and down. I looked at him warmly and gave a

little chuckle. *"Blazekit!"* Blazekit jumped up with his fuzzy fur kinda sticking up. I looked behind me and saw that it was his mother Shadowwing coming towards us. *"How many times do I have to tell you to stay inside the nursery???"* His mother said irritated with a mixture of worry in her eyes *"Don't you run off like that again, now come back to the nursery."*
Shadowwing looked at me with a face expression of -sorry about that Spottedleap- I just nodded reassuring her that it's ok.

I padded over to shelter so I wouldn't be freezing in the snow. Once I layed down I looked up and saw Firetail talking to Rainstar, while Rainstar was pointing with his tail towards my direction. They both nodded and Firetail was heading my way.

My heart started to race quickly -why do I feel like this? Why is my heart beating so quickly?- I thought in my mind. At that time he had already reached me and said *"Spottedleap? Do you want to join my dawn border patrol tomorrow?"*
I nodded my head. Just seconds later. Silver pelt covered the sky. I closed my eyes and fell into a deep sleep.

Chapter 2 - Full moon

Sneaking out of the Warriors den, not waking Spottedleap, I snuck around through the brush on the bitter cold snow trying not to be seen by Flamestripe that's guarding the entrance.

I walked through a secrect tunnel, and headed out through the piney woods towards Lightingclans border. *"Hey Sandstone, over here."* A cat figure on the other side of the border with glowing green eyes whispered to me.

I padded silently to the figure to greet him. *"Hey Thistleclaw."* I whispered
"I didn't think you would show." he said with a sad expression. *"But I did, I'm here now".* I said as I rubbed my pelt against his. He whispered gently into my ear *"I would do anything to be with you"* I just nodded in agreement while closing my eyes, feeling his hot breath against my fur. Wishing it could always be like this. The sun started to rise, I looked up into his soft green eyes. *"I better get going before my clan mates start to wonder where I am. I'll see you tonight at the gathering. Since tonight will be the full moon."* He nodded in agreement and went our separate ways.

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Waking up from freezing, realizing that Sandstone wasn't beside me. I looked up and saw Lionfang coming towards me with Firetail and Wolfpelt right behind him. I sat up and streched my legs. *"Spottedleap, you ready to go on the dawn patrol?"* Lionfang asked as he got closer. I nodded my head and with a flick of his tail we left.

I fell behind the group with Lionfang and Wolfpelt in the lead. Firetail fell behind as well and we walked side by side. When we were nearly close to Shadeclans border, Wolfpelt flicked his tail, to let us know to get down. Lionfang and Wolfpelt started whispering to each other.

I looked over at Firetail , and he too looked confused, but there was also a strange smell. Wolfpelt slowly stood up and said *"Come out! We know your there!"* A silver she-cat with white paws and dark grey stripes came out from brush that's covered with white snow, that was on our side of the border. *"Hello Wolfpelt, nice seeing you here"* The silver she-cat said strangely calm. *"Get off our*

territory!" Wolfpelt snapped. Lionfang set the tip of his tail on Wolfpelt's back to calm him down.

He looked over at the silver she-cat into her eyes *"Ivystripe, why are you on our side of the border?"* He asked as politely as he could. She just stared at him for a few seconds longer then replied in a settle tone voice. "I was just chasing a rabbit, and it ran into your territory. Once I realized that I was on your side of the border, that is when you showed up with your patrol." Lion fang stared at her for a moment thinking of what she said "I trust that..." Before Lionfang finished. Wolfpelt interrupted him and said aloud in an irritated tone."Are you gonna believe what she says just like that Lionfang!?"

Firetail and I just stared at all three them, not saying anything. We both thought it would be best to stay out of it. Lionfang gave Wolfpelt a quick warning glare *"....as I was saying, I trust that your telling the truth Ivystripe, but I'll give you a warning, just don't do it again."*

Ivystripe gave a quick nod in understanding and took off as fast as lighting straight towards to her side of the border. We finished up checking and marking all the borders and headed back to camp. As we padded through the entrance, I saw Sandstone outside of the nursery talking to a Queen. It was Dappleheart, a brown she-cat with white spots, she was bloated with kits. -She's gonna pop soon- I thought.

I padded over to them. *"Hello Spottedleap, how did the dawn patrol go?"*
Dappleheart asked in a sweet gentle tone.
"It was great, there was a Shadeclan cat on our side of the territory, I think her name was Ivystripe. We left her go with a warning."

Dappleheart's eyes had widen with fear. *"Are you ok Dappleheart?"* I asked in a worry voice.

Dappleheart snapped out *" Oh yes, yes I'm fine. I'm gonna go lay down for a bit, I'm a bit tired, especially carrying my kits around in my swollen belly."* I just nodded as she turned away and padded through the nursery entrance.

I looked over to Sandstone *"Hey Sandstone? Where were you this morning? You were gone when I woke up to go to the dawn patrol."* I asked concerned

" I just decided to go for an early hunt. You know since it's leafbare

and food is scarce. I decided to get some prey for the clan." Sandstone replied calmly *"Ok then, just checking up on you."*

After we chatted, Rainstar sent out the evening border patrol and the hunting patrols. Once silver pelt has covered the sky, the moon rising into the sky. The hunting patrol and the evening border patrol came through the entrance. Once we gulped down a few bites of prey Rainstar had called us all to a meeting *"All cats that's old enough to catch their own prey, come to the big oak tree for a clan meeting!"* He called out in a strong voice for all to hear.

"You all know that it is the full moon tonight. So I will choose who will come to the gathering. Sandstone, Spottedleap, Lionfang, Firetail, Thornpaw, Fernpaw, Mistypaw, our Medicine cat Hazelwing and my deputy Stormtail! We will head out to the gathering." As that was said, Rainstar jumped down his farely large stone in front of the huge oak tree. Rainstar got to the front with Stormtail right beside him. *"Alright! Let's move!"* He called out to the cats that are going, flicked his tail for them to start moving, and vanished out of the camp in the bitter cold, darkness.

As we moved through cold night towards the middle of the four clans, I padded beside Sandstone and Firetail. Rainstar flicked his tail and halted. We all stopped right behind him and sat close to the freezing cold ground and looked down into the opening. Seeing that we are the last ones to arrive.

Chapter 3 - The Gathering

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Rainstar sat there for a few heart beats longer, then signaled us to join the other clans.

We all jumped down into the opening so the others can see us. As Rainstar and Stormtail padded over to the big rock with the other leaders and deputys that were waiting patiently for them .

Sandstone and I raced over to a group of cats, a mixture of Shadeclan, Lightingclan and Skyclan. *"Hey Snowfur, Ravenheart, and Darkpelt!"* I called out as we got closer. *"Hey Spootedleap!"* Snowfur replied gently with a warm smile on her face as we arrived.

I looked over at Sandstone, looking at a different group of cats. I nudged her her shoulder. *"Huh what? What happened?"* We all just giggled. *"Sandstone? You ok?"* I asked with a confused look on my face, but just as Sandstone was going to reply to my question, we heard a loud yowl from one of the leaders on the high rock.

"The full moon is out and it's time to get started!" It was Icestar, a blueish grey she-cat, the leader of Skyclan. *"Hailstar, do you want to go first?"* She asked a black and white tom, the Lightingclan leader. He nodded respectfully at the Skyclan leader and held his head high. *"Lightingclan has been doing well in the past few days. We have a good pile of fresh kill. Also we have named a new warrior this week! Thistlepaw has now become Thistleclaw!"*

Every clan chanted his name, Thistleclaw held his head high and his eyes sparkled with pride. Once the cheering and the chanting was over. Breezestar, the Shadeclan's leader stepped up and spoke with power, but gentle words with her head raised high. *"Shadeclan has been doing wonderful. Leafbare has started to hit hard, but my clan and I stands strong against it, and is surviving perfectly..."* While Breezestar was talking, I looked over at a few Shadeclan cats, and they looked a little thin. I didn't notice that before until now.

Breezestar had finished her share about her clan. It was Rainstar that was next. Rainstar stood tall and brave up there. *"My clan, Pineclan, has been getting prepare for this winter. We have gotten*

strong. We too, also have two new warriors from this week! From being Spottedpaw to Spottedleap! And Sandpaw to Sandstone!"

Both of our eyes sparkled in the moonlight, both happy as can be while all the clans cheered our names. Last but not least was Icestar, the clan leader of Skyclan was next to speak. *"I, clan leader of Skyclan, that my clan has it's ups and downs, but we get through it together. Always there when help is needed. My clan has been doing very well. That's all I have to say."* And with that, the gathering was dismissed, and as we said our goodbyes the clans parted into different directions.

We finally arrived back to camp, and saw Wolfpelt racing to Rainstar and Stormtail, with concern and worry in his eyes, telling them something very softly.

I padded over to the warriors den drowsily, and in an instant I was out like a light.

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Sorry that it's a bit short, but I'll be making another chapter later on today, or tomorrow. Thanks! Also I promise I will make the next one longer!